

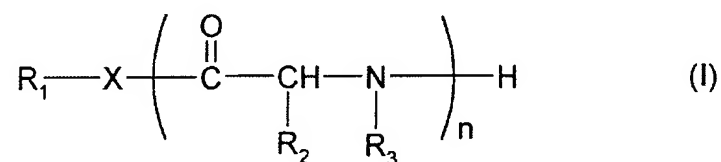
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Claims 1-27. (Canceled)

28. (New) A method for reducing, fading out and/or smoothing out wrinkles and/or fine lines in skin, comprising:

applying to the skin of a person in need thereof a composition comprising, in a physiologically acceptable medium, at least one material chosen from polymers and salts thereof, of formula (I):



in which:

- X is -O-
- R₁ is chosen from hydrogen, and a methyl radical,
- R₂ is chosen from hydrogen, and a -CH₂C₆H₄p-OH radical,
- R₃ is chosen from hydrogen, and linear and branched, saturated C₁-C₆ hydrocarbon-based radicals, and
- n is an average number of repeating units of greater than 1, such that the weight average molecular weight of the at least one material is between 200 and 200 000 inclusive, the repeating unit being either identical for the same material, or different.